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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kamm *et al.* Examiner: Mathew, Fenn C.
Serial No.: 09/815,528 Art Unit: 3764
Filed: March 23, 2001
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STIMULATING ANGIOGENESIS AND
WOUND HEALING BY USE OF EXTERNAL COMPRESSION

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

A two (2) month extension of time, from September 2, 2003, up to and including November 2, 2003, is requested to respond to the Office Action, mailed May 2, 2003, in the above-referenced application. (A one (1) month extension of time, from August 2, 2003, up to and including September 2, 2003, was filed previously on September 2, 2003). Since November 2, 2003 falls on a Sunday, the next succeeding day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or Federal holiday (*i.e.*, Monday, November 3, 2003) shall be considered timely under 37 CFR § 1.7. Applicant thus submits that the present Request for Continued Examination is timely submitted on Monday, November 3, 2003. A check which includes \$420.00 (in view of the small entity status of the application) is enclosed to cover the fee required by 37 CFR § 1.17(c).

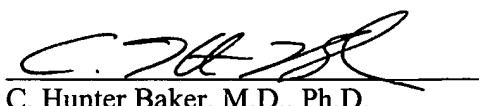
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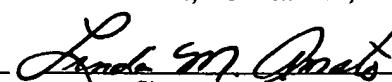
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